Second Master Plan for Delhi

97. SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a second master plan for Delhi is under preparation;

(b) if so, what are the broad objectives of the proposed plan; and

(c) whether Government have made any detailed study of evaluation of the working of the first master plan for Delhi and if so, the broad details there of ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) Master Plan for Delhi which is in operation since 1962 is proposed to be modified extensively with a perspective upto the year 2001.

(b) The draft Perspective Plan has taken into consideration the problems of environment, ecology, natural consideration and conditions for health, safety and convenience of the citizens and these considerations have been reflected in the proposed measures for conservation nature, building of parks and in evolving of urban design with the objective of conservation of urban heritage and ensuring richness and variety of community life.

(c) While drafting Perspective Development Plan, the Master Plan for Delhi has been reviewed by the Delhi Development Authority. It has revealed that the Master Plan during its implementation provided an efficient circulation network and extensive lung-space for the city and a useful base for regulating development of building activities. However, in certain provisions like land use intensity, some weaknesses became perceptible.

Increasing Production of Rice, Pulses etc.

98. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have formulated a comprehensive programme for a break through in rice, oilseeds and pulses production on the pattern of green revolution in wheat:

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(c) what is the programme for this new revolution during the Seventh Five Year Plan ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) Government is making concerted efforts to increase production of rice, oilseeds and pulses in the country.

(b) and (c) For increasing the production of rice, Government is implementing Special Rice Production Programme in eastern rice growing States of Assam, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Orissa, U. P. and West Bengal. The Programme is being implemented in selected blocks of these States. The Programme provides for necessary facilities for increasing the productivity of rice.

For increasing the production of oilseeds, a National Oilseeds Development Programme is being implemented in States, with potential for increasing yields. The programme provides for various incentives and facilities to farmers to increase oilseeds production. As a result, the targets of the Sixth Five Year Plan set for oilseeds production have been over-achieved.

For increasing production of pulses, besides the existing schemes, a National Pulses Development Project is proposed to be launched from the

year 1986-87. The Project will provide facilities and incentives to the farmers for increasing pulses production. The following targets have been fixed for the Seventh Five Year Plan:

Crops	Million Tonnes
1. Rice	73-75
2. Pulses	15-16
3. Oilseeds	18

These targets are proposed to be achieved through the implementation of the above mentioned programmes.

Alternative plots for dwellers on land acquired for AIMSS

99. SHRI PRITHIBI MAJHI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a piece of "Patta land" at the crossing of Raj Nagar near Kamal Cinema in South Delhi has been acquired by Land Acquisition Collector and earmarked for allotment to AIMSS;

(b) whether the dwellers on this "Patta Land" have been given alternative site by L&DO Department of the Ministry ; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH) : (a) Yes, Sir, The land has been acquired for a Public purpose and allotted to the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare for setting up of Trauma Centre under the aegis of AIMSS.

(b) and (c) No, Sir. The Land & Development Office has no such scheme for allotment of alternative site to the squatters, where land is acquired by the Land & Acquisition Collector.

Diversion of Steel and Defective to Private Sector

100. SHRI K. MOHANAN : Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have asked the Steel Authority of India Limited to explain diversion of an unusually large quantity of steel and 'defectives' to the private trade in Western India;

(b) whether the explanation has been received from the SAIL, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if the explanation has not been received, by when it is likely to be received ?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI K.C. PANT): (a) A report was called for from SAIL regarding sales of steel and 'defectives' to trade in Western India.

(b) According to data furnished by SAIL, some sale of steel to was made in order to dispose of itmes which had been in stock for long periods since they were not being lifted by the actual users. The overall supplies of such steel within the guidelines. There is no restriction on the sale of defectives to trade.

(c) Does not arise.

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TRIBUTES TO THE FORMER DEPUTY CHAIRMAN

MR CHAIRMAN : Honourable Members, yesterday I informed the House about the resignation of Dr. (Shrimati) Najma Heptulla from the Office of the Deputy Chairman of the House with effect from the 28th January, 1986. Dr. (Shrimati) Heptulla was elected as the Deputy Chairman in January, 1985 and throughout the period she has been the Deputy Chairman, she has discharged the functions to the satisfaction of the entire House. She has brought